

Application Serial No. 10/563,412
Amendment filed with RCE

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Ichiko TAKAHASHI, et al.

Serial No. : 10/563,412

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For : METHOD OF RESTRAINING FATIGUE
CRACK GROWTH, METHOD OF DETECTING
FATIGUE CRACK AND PASTE TO BE
USED FOR THE METHODS

Art Unit : 3726

Examiner : John C. HONG

This paper is being submitted
via EFS-web on August 25, 2010

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herewith, please consider this
as a Petition for the requisite
extension of time, and to the
extent not already paid,
authorization to charge the
extension fee to Account
No. 06-1378. In addition,
authorization is hereby given to
charge any fees for which
payment has not been submitted,
or to credit any overpayments,
to Account No. 06-1378.

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This Amendment is being filed with an RCE in response to
the Final Office Action mailed May 25, 2010, the term for
response to which expires on August 25, 2010.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2. Claims 1-4 are canceled;
claims 5-8 and 10 are maintained; claim 9 is amended; and
claims 11 and 12 are added.

Remarks begin on page 5.